



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

GM 3308
3735 #9/
PATENT

In Re Application of: Paul H. Burmeister, Charles L. Euteneuer,
Brian J. Brown, Paul J. Fordenbacher,
Anthony C. Vrba

Appln No: 08/737,492

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Docket No.: S63.2-6252

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

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Petitioners, ~~Paul H. Burmeister, Charles L. Euteneuer, Brian J. Brown,~~
~~Paul J. Fordenbacher, Anthony C. Vrba,~~ hereby request a one month extension of time to
respond to the Office Action mailed May 4, 1998. This petition is accompanied by \$110.00 as
set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

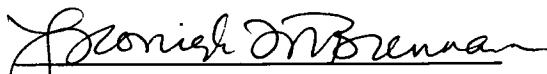
Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account
No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,

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